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Annual General Meeting

of Subscribers

Will be held in the TOWN HALL, SKIPTON,

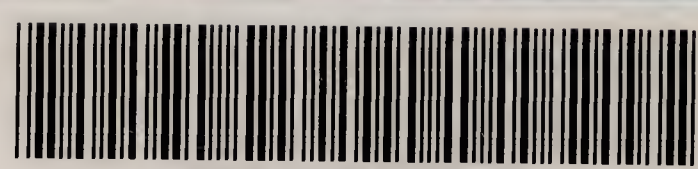
on MONDAY, 5th MARCH, 1928, at 6-30 p.m.

Chairman — R. B. BARRETT, Esq., J.P.

As the Executive Committee at this meeting will put forward a proposal to extend the Hospital, it is hoped that a large number of Subscribers and their friends will make it convenient to attend.

H. DICKMAN,

Hon. Secretary.



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The Hospital is intended to serve the following places:—Skipton, Airton, Appletreewick, Bankhewton, Bolton Abbey, Bradley, Broughton, Burnsall, Buckden, Carleton, Coniston Cold, Cracoe, Cononley, Draughton. Elslack, Embsay-with-Eastby, Flasby-with-Winterburn, Gargrave, Grassington, Hartlington, Hebden, Hellifield, Hetton, Kirkby Malhamdale, Linton, Lothersdale, Long Preston, Martons Both, Rylstone, Stirton-with-Thorlby, Thornton-in-Craven, and Threshfield.

The Hospital (as its trust deed says) is "designed for the reception and treatment of persons suffering from accident or curable disease; but no case of fever, infectious or contagious disease, or consumption in an advanced stage, and no female far advanced in pregnancy shall be admissible; nor any person in receipt of parish relief, except by special arrangement between the Board of Guardians and the Executive Committee."

COMMITTEE OF MANAGEMENT.

Chairman:

Mr. R. B. BARRETT, J.P.

Vice-Chairmen:

Mr. Algernon Dewhurst, J.P. Rev. R. S. Stoney.

Trustees: (ex-officio)

Lord Hothfield.
Ven. Archdeacon Cook.
Mr. J. A. Slingsby, J.P.
Mr. Algernon Dewhurst, J.P.
Mr. W. H. Dawson.
Rev. L. H. Gaunt.
Mr. R. B. Barrett, J.P.
Mr. Edgar Wood.
Mr. J Mallison.

Resident Medical Practitioners (ex-officio).

Elected Members:

Rev. R. S. Stoney.

Skipton Co-operative Society	Mr. W. Whetstone.
Hospital Gala Committee	Mr. J. Moorhouse. Mrs. Addyman.
Skipton Chamber of Trade	Mr. A. J. Clayton.
Skipton Urban District Council ...	Capt. Churchman.
Old Patients' Association	Mrs. Houghton.
United Friendly Societies	Mr. M. Kerrigan.
Textile Trades Federation	Mr. J. W. Gray. Mr. C. Pickles. Mr. E. Bastow. Mr. W. Breakell. Mr. M. Kerrigan.
Local Labour Party	Mr. A. Rennison. Mr. W. Tillotson. Mr. R. Titterington. Mrs. Hailstone. Mrs. Stow.

Hon. Treasurer :

Mr. W. H. Hitchin, Martins Bank Ltd., Skipton.

Hon. Secretary :

Mr. H. Dickman, Martins Bank Ltd., Skipton.

Matron :

Miss F. Eggins.

HONORARY MEDICAL STAFF.

Sir B. G. A. Moynihan, Kt., M.S. (Lond.), F.R.C.S. (Eng.), Surgeon of Leeds General Infirmary, Member of the Board of Examiners in Anatomy for the Fellowship, Royal College of Surgeons in England, Honorary Consulting Surgeon.

J. Barlow, M.B., Ch.B.

George E. Fisher, L.R.C.S.I., L.R.C.P.I.

G. Annesley Fisher, M.C., B.A. (Cantab.), M.R.C.S. (Lond.), L.R.C.P. (Eng.).

Robert C. Fisher L.R.C.S.I., L.R.C.P.I.

W. Liversidge, M.D., B.S. (Lond.), M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P.

N. A. Macleod, M.D., Ch.B.

W. H. Robinson, B.A., M.B., B.C.

Hon. Dentist :

C. K. Butchart, L.D.S.

Hon. Masseur :

P. Hargreaves, M.P.C. (Lond.), I.C.M.

Auditors :

Messrs. Richard Weston & Whalley.

Hon. Solicitor :

Mr. E. Wood.

Bankers :

Martins Bank Ltd., Skipton.

Skipton and District Hospital.

TWENTY-EIGHTH

ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE COMMITTEE OF MANAGEMENT

FOR THE YEAR 1927.

THE Committee has pleasure in presenting to the Subscribers the twenty-eighth Annual Report and Accounts for the year ended 31st December, 1927.

It is with deep regret that they have to record the death of Mr. Alfred Whalley. Mr. Whalley served the Hospital for many years both as a member of the Committee and as a Trustee, and the Committee wishes to place on record its high appreciation of the services he so loyally rendered to the Hospital.

The Committee gratefully acknowledges the highly satisfactory character of the year's work, due in a very large measure to the cordial co-operation of the Honorary Medical Officers and Nursing Staff. For these results the Committee's and Subscribers' best thanks are given, first to the Honorary Medical Staff for the time and skill they devote to the work of the Hospital; and, secondly, to the Matron and Nursing Staff for the capable manner in which they have discharged their respective duties.

The Committee also again wishes to express thanks to those friends who have sent gifts in kind, as well as to those who, either by individual or collective effort, have helped to carry on the work of the Hospital.

It is with considerable pleasure that the Committee welcomes the formation of a Linen League. Although a new organisation, the Linen League has already conferred extensive benefit on the Hospital, and will, by the nature of its work, materially relieve expenditure by way of maintenance charges.

The Committee wishes to thank the Ladies of the League Committee for its creation and ventures to express the hope that their initiative and enterprise will bring the reward of added success in the future.

A matter which is causing much anxiety is the increasing number of patients admitted as the result of motor accidents. During the year under review 61 patients were admitted through such accidents, and the cost of their treatment and maintenance was £456. Of these patients 28 were resident outside the area served by the Hospital, and the total amount received by way of payment from this number was only £22, while they cost the Hospital £149.

The drain upon the funds of the Hospital, and similarly all Hospitals, in having to treat so many of this type of accident, is becoming serious, and it is hoped that some general arrangement may soon be made whereby Hospitals will be re-imbursed for this heavy cost. A start has already been made in this direction, the Eagle Star and British Dominions Insurance Company having established a policy which can be taken out by the motorist for the moderate premium of 5s. per annum and which guarantees to the Hospital a payment of 10s. 6d. per day up to thirty days should the insured be admitted to Hospital as the result of an accident caused by a public or private motor, electric or horse-drawn vehicle. While this will not in many cases fully meet the need it is a step in the right direction, and as it is desirable from the Hospital's standpoint that full use be made of the policy referred to, particulars as to this method of insurance are inserted in the Report. The Committee will be glad if Subscribers and friends of the Hospital will bring this matter to the notice of their motoring friends.

For some considerable time it has been patent to the Committee that the day was rapidly approaching when the question of extending the men's ward would have to be faced, as with the evergrowing demands which are being made on the Hospital, and these largely accentuated by the Motor Accident cases already referred to, the problem is becoming rapidly more acute. The Committee therefore feels that the time has already arrived when something should be done to provide further accommodation.

Reference to page 10 will show that the average length of stay per patient over the past three years has been of shorter duration each successive year. This is largely due to the limited number of beds available on the one hand and to the increase in the number of patients on the other. It would often be to the benefit of patients could they remain in Hospital a few days longer, but accommodation has had to be found for urgent waiting cases, patients thus being deprived of a benefit the Com-

mittee wishes could be afforded them. This condition prevails in spite of the fact that the average number of patients in the men's ward is twelve, although this ward was originally intended for six beds only. A Sub-Committee was accordingly appointed to consider how best to meet the situation and as a result of its deliberations plans have been drawn up which provide for the rebuilding and extension of the men's ward, for the provision of additional bed room accommodation for the Staff and for added kitchen accommodation.

These plans will be laid before the Subscribers at the Annual General Meeting, and if approved a Committee will be elected to carry through the extension. It is estimated that the total cost will be about £5,000, and an appeal will be launched forthwith with a view to raising this sum.

The need is very urgent, and the Committee feels that it can rely with confidence upon the residents of Skipton and District to see that the demands which are being increasingly made on the Hospital will be satisfied and that the work of healing will be in no way hampered by any lack of financial support.

INCOME AND EXPENDITURE.

It is very gratifying to note that although the number of patients admitted to Hospital shows a further increase, expenditure under the head of Maintenance and Administration shows a decrease of £105. This is due in a large measure to the help afforded by the Linen League which, through the many gifts it has supplied, has already relieved expenditure to the extent of about £100. While there has been no relaxation in the efforts of the Committee to provide everything necessary for the patients, it will be seen that the economical working of the Hospital has been maintained.

A small increase is this year shown in the receipts. While the amount received by way of subscriptions remains the same, there is a substantial increase in the Donations. The Committee is most grateful for the latter increase but wishes to again call attention to the need of additional support by way of annual subscriptions.

It is very desirable that the list of Subscribers be augmented, as income from this source is regarded as of a more or less permanent

nature. With this object in view attention is directed to the form at the end of the Report, and if those who already subscribe will kindly forward the names of anyone whom they think would be willing to make an annual contribution to the funds of the Hospital, the Hon. Treasurer will be grateful.

One rather disquieting feature is the fall of £165 in the amount received by way of patients' payments. The Committee cannot think that this is in any way due to lack of appreciation of the services given, and realise that many of the patients admitted are regular contributors through the Workpeople's Collections. The Committee would, however, call attention to this matter in the hope that patients will, within their means, do all they can to maintain this somewhat fluctuating source of income.

The Committee again desires to express its very warm appreciation of the invaluable support given by the Gala Committee. Fortunately, "Gala Day" was one of the few really summer days of 1927, and the result is reflected in an increase of £50, viz., £250, in the amount received towards current expenses. In addition, £200 was received for the Endowment Fund as against £160 received last year. Whilst heartily thanking the members of the Gala Committee for their untiring and successful work, the Committee would like to take this opportunity of expressing its thanks to the residents of Skipton and District for their continued patronage of this annual event.

The Hospital Ball repeated its previous successes, as indeed it was bound to do when such enthusiasm as that shown by the Ball Committee is forthcoming year by year. It is no light task which this Committee has set itself in endeavouring, and with success, to wipe out any deficit which arises in the year's accounts. That the Hospital started the New Year free from debt is due to the splendid efforts of the Ball Committee which liquidated an adverse balance on the previous year's working of £114 3s. 0d. The Committee again tenders its most grateful thanks.

The thanks of the Committee are again also due to the Ladies' Collection Committee, the Workpeople's Collection Committee, the Old Patients' Association, the Billiards and Bowling Leagues, and-

the Skipton Amateur Operatic and Dramatic Society, and, coupled with the Committee's thanks, is the hope that their efforts throughout the current year may be even more successful than were those of the period now under review.

The London, Midland and Scottish Railway Company's Hospital Fund continues its much valued support, the sum of £192 10s. 0d. having been received in respect of maintenance of its members who have been admitted to Hospital. In addition, a donation of £42 was received from the same Fund.

Certain grants have also been made by Approved Societies under the National Health Insurance Acts, and patients who are members of such Societies are again asked to kindly inform the Matron of the fact before leaving Hospital.

ENDOWMENT FUND.

The following sums have been received during the year, namely :—

	£	s.	d.
From the Gala Committee ...	200	0	0
From the Skipton Operatic and Dramatic Society	9	7	10
From Old Patients' Association...	30	0	0

For the above benefactions the Committee begs to tender an expression of grateful thanks.

A further sum of £250 has been placed on loan with the Skipton Urban District Council.

RESERVE FUND.

It will be remembered that on the occasion of the last Annual Meeting of Subscribers the Chairman expressed the Committee's view that efforts should be made to increase the Reserve Fund so that we might be in a better position to meet any unforseen contingencies which might arise.

During the year certain sums have been received which could not be regarded as normal income, and these the Committee have transferred to the Reserve Fund.

After having purchased £200 5% War Loan there remains a balance in hand of £48 16s. 9d.

Return of Patients for the past Three Years.

		1925	1926	1927
1.	Number of beds available for use	30	30	30
2.	Average number of Patients in Hospital daily throughout the year	24	23½	23
3.	Number of Patients in Hospital at the beginning of the year	27	21	24
4.	Number of Patients admitted during the year...	246	261	288
5.	Number of Patients in Hospital at the end of the year	21	24	20
6.	Average number of days spent by each patient in Hospital	32½	30½	26½
7.	Number of operations performed	161	171	207
8.	Number of X-Ray Cases ...	45	69	53
9.	Total expenditure ...	£2503	£2422	£2281
10.	Average cost per patient per day	5s. 8d.	5s. 7d.	5s. 6d.

Medical Report for 1927.

The number of Patients admitted to the Hospital during the year was 312, this figure being an increase of 30 over the preceding year.

The following comparative figures show to what extent the work of the Hospital continues to expand :—

Year.	No. of Patients.
1921	198
1922	201
1923	250
1924	259
1925	273
1926	282
1927	312

Patients were received from the following places :—

Skipton	193	Hebden	2
Elslack	6	Grassington	4
Colne	5	Lothersdale	1
Kettlewell	1	Keighley	1
Gargrave	7	Preston	2
Burnsall	3	Leeds	8
Broughton	1	Bolton Abbey	1
Carleton	15	Barden	3
Bell Busk	1	Winskip	1
Bradley	5	Coniston	1
Embsay	16	Hull	2
Clitheroe	1	Barnoldswick	3
Crosshills	1	Cleckheaton	1
Burnley	5	Dewsbury	1
Cracoe	1	Thornton-in-Craven	1
Hetton	1	Harrogate	1
Castleford	2	Linton	3
Middleham	1	Bradford	3
Kirkby Malham	1	Sutton	2
Oswaldtwistle	1	Blackburn	1
Bordley Moor	1		
South Shields	1	Total	312
Manchester	1		

DISCHARGED PATIENTS.

Cured	238	
Relieved	27	
Un-relieved	16	
		281
Died		11
		292
In Hospital 31/12/27		20
Total number admitted during year		312

The number of operations performed during the year was 207 and were as follow :—

Severed Tendons	3	Amputation of Fingers	7
Phimosis	10	Adenoma of Breast	1
Curettage	10	Intestinal Obstruction	3
Strangulated Hernia	3	Tubal Empyema	1
Tonsils and Adenoids	55	Pelvis Abscess	2
Quiescent Appendix	7	Perineorrhaphy	1
Acute Appendix	22	Amputation of Breast	2
Herniotomy	5	Excrescence of Hand	1
Hydrocele	1	Cellulities of Arm	3
Intestinal Adhesions	2	,, Knee	2
Hysterectomy	1	Lacerated Knee	1
Cervical Glands	5	Abdominal Fistula	1
Teeth Extraction	3	Gastro-enterostomy	2
Empyema	1	Branchial Cyst	1
Cholecystectomy	2	Pellets in Hand	2
Ectopic Gestation	1	Hammer Toes	3
Laparotomy	3	Abscess Abdominal Wall	1
Perforated Diverticulum	1	T. B. Peritonitis	1
Amputation of Leg	2	Fistula-in-Ano	2
Septic Arm	1	Comminuted Fracture of Femur	1
Ganglion of Wrist	2	Comminuted Fracture of Patillæ	1
Carcinoma of Rectum	2	Perforated Gastric Ulcer	1
Volculus	1	Amputation of Toes	2
Epithelioma of Lip	1	Lacerated Hand	1
Lacerated Leg	1	Necrosis of Metatarsus	1
Abcess of Liver	1	Abscess, Various	10
Abcess of Chest Wall	1		
Mammary Abcess	2		
Anastamosis	1		
Colpoperineorrhaphy	3	Total	207

Number of X-Ray cases dealt with 53

Aggregate number of days spent in the Hospital	8392 days.
Average length of stay per patient	26½ days.
Daily average number of patients	23

Operations were performed by the following visiting Surgeons :—

Mr. Richardson	10
Mr. Collinson	4
Mr. Oldfield	2
Mr. Dobson	1
Mr. Flint	1
Mr. Simmonds	1
	19

NAMED BEDS and COTS

AT

The Skipton and District Hospital.

A DONATION or LEGACY of £500

Will Name a COT in perpetuity.

A DONATION or LEGACY of £1000

Will Name a BED in perpetuity.

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Benefactions for the purpose of naming a BED or COT are invested and the income applied for the permanent maintenance of the Bed or Cot.

This is the highest form of Benefit conferable upon the Hospital as it ensures a perpetual income for the carrying on of the great work of healing.

Statement of Receipts and Payments for

GENERAL

1926 £	s.	d.	RECEIPTS.	£	s.	d.	1927 £	s.	d.
247	4	6	Annual Subscriptions	250	14	5			
172	0	2	Donations	341	0	0			
106	10	1	Congregational Collections	91	0	9			
200	0	0	Gala Committee	250	0	0			
80	0	0	Old Patients' Association	50	0	0			
318	0	0	Workpeople's Collections	306	17	2			
307	7	0	Patients' Payments—General ...	142	6	9			
182	1	6	,, ,, Private Ward..	108	15	0			
2	1	6	,, ,, X Ray ...	2	1	0			
154	13	6	,, ,, Railway Servants' Hospital Fund ...	192	10	0			
50	0	0	Billiard League	50	0	0			
74	3	3	Ball Committee	114	3	0			
3	5	0	Bowling League	3	15	0			
1897	6	6					1903	3	1
			INTEREST ON INVESTMENTS—						
121	12	0	*£3,200 Skipton U.D.C. 5% ...	130	10	5			
170	0	0	*£4,250 Funding Loan 4% ...	180	0	0			
105	0	0	£2,100 War Loan 5%	105	0	0			
20	0	0	£400 Great Western Railway ...	20	0	0			
61	4	0	Reclaimed Income Tax	30	8	0			
							465	18	5
2375	2	6					2369	1	6
			EXTRAORDINARY INCOME—						
7	0	0	East and West Ridings of Yorkshire Voluntary Hospitals Committee					—	
114	3	0	Balance due to Bank, 31st Dec., 1927				167	10	7
2496	5	6					£2536	12	1

*£250 placed on loan with Skipton U.D.C., and £250 invested in 4% Funding Loan during the year.

the year ended 31st December, 1927.

ACCOUNT.

1926. £	s.	d.	PAYMENTS.	£	s.	d.	1927 £	s.	d.
			MAINTENANCE—						
720	14	6	Provisions	702	6	7			
335	0	2	Drugs, Instruments, etc.	260	8	9			
122	1	8	Drapery, Ironmongery & Crockery	91	17	9			
49	1	0	Laundry	46	0	1			
217	17	3	Fuel and Light	214	9	9			
12	13	1	Insurance	16	12	4			
186	10	11	Repairs and Renewals	142	5	9			
71	2	5	Garden Expenses and Man's Wages	89	18	2			
317	6	3	Nursing Salaries	363	10	4			
210	14	6	Domestic Servants' Wages ...	199	9	10			
15	5	10	Telephone	16	10	5			
5	5	0	X-Ray Expenses	13	3	5			
4	11	8	Sundries	2	11	8			
2268	4	3					2159	4	10
			ADMINISTRATION—						
34	2	6	Printing, Stationery, Postages, &c.	38	5	3			
10	0	0	Clerical Assistance	10	0	0			
2	2	0	Auditor's Fee	2	2	0			
2	4	0	Rent of Room for Meetings ...	2	4	0			
48	8	6					52	11	3
24	15	1	Rates				24	10	11
2341	7	10					2236	7	0
			EXTRAORDINARY EXPENDITURE—						
7	0	0	Voluntary Hospitals Committee Guarantee					—	
46	14	7	New Drying Ground					—	
21	13	0	New Theatre Furniture					—	
5	6	10	Bank Charges				8	5	11
	—		Donation to Ilkley Convalescent Home				2	2	0
	—		Drop Light for Operating Theatre				4	8	4
2422	2	3					2251	3	3
	—		Transfer to Reserve Fund Account				141	16	8
	—		Cash in hand with Matron, 31st Dec., 1927				29	9	2
74	3	3	Balance due to Bank, 1st Jan., 1927				114	3	0
2496	5	6					£2536	12	1

ENDOWMENT

	£	s.	d.
Balance at Bank, 1st January, 1927	53	13	4
Gala Committee	200	0	0
Skipton Operatic Society	9	7	10
Old Patients' Association	30	0	0
Bank Interest	1	2	11
	£294	4	1

In addition to the above Bank Balance the Endowment Fund consists of :—

	£	s.	d.
Loan to Skipton Urban District Council, 5%	3450	0	0
Funding Loan, 4%	4500	0	0
War Loan, 5%	2100	0	0
Great Western Railway, 5%	400	0	0

RESERVE

	£	s.	d.
Balance, 1st January, 1927	102	15	10
Transferred from General Account	141	16	8
Interest on 5% War Loan	5	0	0
Bank Interest	1	5	3
	£250	17	9

In addition to the above Bank Balance, the Reserve Fund consists of War Loan, 5% £200

W. H. HITCHIN, Hon. Treasurer.

Subscribers are reminded that, according to Rule 1, subscriptions are deemed to be due in advance on the first day of January. The work of the Officers will be greatly facilitated if contributions are paid to the Hon. Treasurer, at Martins Bank Ltd., Skipton, without a personal call being necessary.

FUND ACCOUNT.

	£	s.	d.
Loan to Skipton U.D.C. at 5%	250	0	0
Balance at Bank, 31st Dec., 1927	44	4	1
	£294	4	1

FUND ACCOUNT.

	£	s.	d.
Purchase of £200 5% War Loan	202	1	0
Balance at Bank, 31st Dec., 1927	48	16	9
	£250	17	9

We have examined the Books and Accounts of the Skipton and District Hospital for the year ended 31st December, 1927, and compared them with the foregoing statements, and certify the same as correct.

RICHARD WESTON & WHALLEY, Chartered Accountants.

Rule 1 also states: "Every individual who contributes at one time 10s. 6d. or upwards to the funds of the said Hospital, shall for the current year for, or in respect of which such subscription shall be made, be deemed to be a subscriber; and the nominee of each congregation, club, association, lodge, society, committee, or other like body or plurality of persons who contribute at one time £1 1s. or upwards to the said funds, shall for the like period be also deemed to be a subscriber. Subscribers shall be entitled to vote at the annual general meeting, and at all special meetings of subscribers held during the year, for or in respect of which the respective contributions shall have been so paid."

Subscriptions.

	£	s,	d.
Airey, C., Esq.	0	5	0
Altham, A.,Ltd. (1926-27)	1	1	0
Anderton F. & Co., Ltd...	0	5	0
Anderton, Mrs.	2	2	0
Andrews, Mrs.....	0	10	6
Anonymous	1	0	0
,, ...	1	0	0
,, ...	0	10	0
Ayrton, Miss Elizabeth...	2	2	0
Barrett, R. B., Esq., J.P.	2	2	0
Birley, Mrs. A. J.	1	0	0
Blunt, Rev. A. C.	0	5	0
Bond, Mrs.	0	5	0
Booth, Mrs. G.	1	1	0
Boothman, Thomas (1926-27)	4	4	0
Brooksbank, J., Esq. (Embsay)	2	2	0
Cade, Mrs. G. E.	1	1	0
Cairns, Miss M.	1	0	0
Chance, Rev. A. E.	0	5	0
Clayton, A. J., Esq.	0	10	0
Collinge, J., Esq.	0	5	0
Cook, Ven. Archdeacon...	1	1	0
Cooper, Mrs. W.....	0	5	0
Coulthurst, J. W., Esq....	3	0	0
Crabtree, A., Esq.	0	10	0
Dawson, Colonel H. P. ..	2	2	0
Dawson, J. T., Esq.	1	1	0
Dawson, W. H., Esq. ...	1	1	0
Dennis, —	0	5	0
Devonshire, Duke of ...	5	0	0
Dewhurst, Cyril, Esq. ...	5	0	0
Dewhurst, Miss E.	1	1	0
Dewhurst, Miss F. A. ...	5	0	0
Dickman, H., Esq.	1	1	0
Douglas, Geo., Esq.	2	2	0
Downs, A., Esq.....	0	10	6
Duckworth, Mrs. J. J. ...	0	10	0
Edmonds, Mrs.	0	10	6
Embsay Manufacturing Co., Ltd.	2	2	0
Empson, C., Esq.	2	2	0
England, Colonel	0	5	0
English Sewing Cotton Co., Ltd.	12	12	0
Fattorini, Thos. (Skipton) Ltd.	1	1	0
Fattorini, Thomas., Esq.	1	1	0
Fawcett, T. C., Esq. ...	1	0	0
Frearson, T. L., Esq. (1926)	0	10	6
Freeman, Hardy & Willis Ltd. (1926-27)	2	2	0
Gaskell, Miss A. H.	0	5	0

	£	s.	d.
Godwin, Lady (1926-27) ..	4	4	0
Goodman, Professor	0	10	0
Gordon, W. B. (1926-27).	2	1	0
Green, Alfred, Esq.	2	0	0
Green, Mrs. Basil	0	5	0
Green, Thomas, Esq. ...	1	0	0
Green, W. H., Esq.	0	10	6
Grimshawe, H. W., Esq..	0	5	0
Hammond, Misses	2	2	0
Hargreaves, F. W. G.,Esq.	0	10	6
Hargreaves, Mrs. W. ...	0	5	0
Harrap, Mrs.	0	5	0
Harrison, Miss A. A. ...	0	10	0
Harrison, Mrs. W.	0	10	6
Helm, C., Esq.	0	10	6
Henderson, J., Esq. (Carleton)	1	1	0
Hitchin, W. H., Esq.....	1	1	0
Holden, Messrs. A., Ltd.	2	0	0
Hothfield, Lord	5	5	0
Hudson, Percy, Esq. ...	0	10	0
Humphries, —., Esq. (Eastby)	0	5	0
Hurst, Messrs. Geo., & Co.	0	10	6
Jaques, T. C., Esq.	0	10	0
Jefferson, R. I., Esq. ...	1	1	0
Jowett, F., Esq. (Building Fund)	0	5	0
Jowett, Mrs. L.	0	5	0
Kinder, Mrs.	0	5	0
Landless, C. H., Esq. ...	0	10	0
Leeds & Liverpool Canal Co., Ltd.	2	2	0
Levitt, Mrs.	0	10	0
Lewin, Mrs.	0	10	0
Lord, —., Esq.	0	10	0
Marsh, Miss	0	5	0
Maude, Lieut.-Col. W. W.	3	3	0
Maudsley, Mrs. W.	0	5	0
Maufe, Mrs. (1926)	1	0	0
Maypole Dairy Co., Ltd.	0	10	6
McIntosh, Mrs. A. M.....	0	5	0
Metcalfe, Geo., Esq.	0	5	0
Moon, Mrs.	0	5	0
Morkill, J. W., Esq., J.P.	1	1	0
Morkill, Mrs.	1	1	0
Moulds, Mrs. W.	0	10	6
Murray-McGregor, Mrs. ..	1	0	0
Nelson, Mrs. R.	2	0	0
Nelson, Sir Amos	5	5	0
Nutter, Mrs.	0	5	0
Pickles, K., Esq.	0	5	0
Pickles, S., Esq.	0	10	0
Preston, J. H., Esq., J.P.	0	10	6
Porri, Messrs. B. & Son .	0	10	0

SUBSCRIPTIONS—Continued.

	£	s.	d.
Procter, Mrs. G.	1	1	0
Procter, Robert, Esq. ...	1	0	0
Procter, R. G., Esq.	1	0	0
Procter, Messrs. T. A. & Sons	1	0	0
Procter, W. A., Esq.	1	1	0
Raper, J. W. Esq (1926)	0	10	0
Rhodes, Mrs. (1926)	0	5	0
Rickards, Mrs. A.	0	5	0
Simpson, R., Esq.	0	5	0
Skipton Auction Mart, Ltd.	2	2	0
Skipton Textile Co., Ltd.	2	2	0
Slater, J., Esq.	0	5	0
Slayden, W., Esq.	0	10	6
Slingsby, Miss E. A.	2	2	0
Slingsby, J. A., Esq., J.P.	2	2	0
Slingsby, Mrs.	0	10	0
Smith, Mrs. R. B.	0	10	0
Southwell, Mrs.	0	5	0
Stansfield, Miss E. A. Crompton, per E. and W. Ridings of Yorkshire Voluntary Hospital Committee.....	1	0	0
Stott, Mrs. A. E.	0	10	6
St. Monica's Convent ...	1	0	0
Sutcliffe, Halliwell, Esq...	1	0	0
Taylor, —. (1926)	0	5	0
Tetley, Mrs. (1926)	0	10	6
Tosney, J., Exors of late	1	1	0
Wade, J., Esq.	1	1	0
Wakefield, E. W., Esq....	1	1	0
Waterfall, J. J., Esq. ...	0	5	0
Watkinson, F. S., Esq. ..	3	3	0
Watkinson, —., Esq. ...	0	5	0
Waugh, Miss M.....	1	1	0
Weston & Whalley, Messrs. Richard	1	1	0
White, J. W., Esq.	0	5	0
Wickham, Mrs.	2	2	0
Wilkinson, E., Esq.	0	5	0
Windle, Mr. and Mrs. ...	0	5	0
Wood, Mrs. Edgar	0	5	0
Yeoman & Hewitson, Messrs. (1926)	0	5	0
Lothersdale Collection ...	5	19	6
Kettlewell and District Collection	18	15	0
Sums under 5s.	38	7	5
	£223	10	5

Subscriptions by Societies.

	£	s.	d.
Carleton Co-operative Society	2	2	0
Cononley Co-operative Society	2	2	0
Earl of Thanet Lodge, Oddfellows	1	1	0
Gargrave Co-operative Society	2	0	0
Loyal Travellers' Friend Lodge, Oddfellows	3	3	0
Skipton Co-operative Society	12	12	0
Skipton Building Society	4	4	0
	£27	4	0

Donations.

	£	s.	d.
"Day Fund," per Mrs. H. S. Morkill	3	3	0
Craven Tenant Farmers' Association Ltd.	5	5	0
"Bat's" Club, Burnsall	6	6	0
Earl of Thanet Lodge, Oddfellows	1	1	0
Trustees of Redmayne's Charity	1	10	0
Post Office Staff	2	0	0
Dodgson (Vancouver), per "Craven Herald"	1	7	0
Bolton Abbey "Social," per Jos. Gill, Esq.	23	4	4
Grammar School	4	4	0
Exors. of late Wm. Backhouse	5	0	0
Craven Canine Association, proceeds of Ball	1	13	6
Jurymen's Fees, per Charlesworth & Wood	0	16	0

DONATIONS—Continued.

	£	s.	d.
Embsay Village Institute, proceeds of Ball	4	4	0
Collection at Billiard Match (Skipton Conservative Club) ...	0	15	1
Gargrave Agricultural Society	20	0	0
Police Ball	10	0	0
Ramsden F.C.A., Esq.	3	0	0
Devonshire Bowling Club	1	18	10
Friendly Society's Parade at Embsay	2	5	0
Proceeds of Arncliffe Ball	9	10	0
Crosshills C.C.	7	7	0
Collection, per J. D. Towers, Esq. (Gisburn)	0	10	9
Craven Cricket League	0	10	6
Skipton and District Motor Club	1	7	0
Skipton Rugby Football Club	4	0	0
Children's Concert	0	13	6
Skipton R.F.C., Practice Match Collection	1	5	9
Messrs. Mark Nutter, Ltd., proceeds of Whist Drive and Dance	8	0	0
Hollings, G. B., Esq. (West Melton)	8	0	0
Independent Order of Oddfellows, Skipton	4	0	0
Whinfield Bowling Club	2	0	9
Bradley Sick Club	1	1	0
South African Farmers, per J. Mallison, Esq.	3	5	0
League of Mercy	3	0	0
"A.B.C.," per Messrs. T. Fattorini (Skipton) Ltd.	0	6	2
Skipton Urban District Council	50	0	0
L.M.S. Railway Servants Hospital Fund	42	0	0
Wills, A. S., Esq.	50	0	0
Skipton Operatic Society	35	0	0
Moor View Lawn Tennis Club	6	16	8
Skipton Rock Co., Ltd.	4	13	2
	£341	0	0

Congregational Collections.

	£	s.	d.
Airton Wesleyan Chapel	1	1	6
Arncliffe Church	3	9	5
Barden Church	0	10	0
Beamsley Wesleyan Chapel	1	0	0
Bolton Abbey Church	2	6	9
Bradley Wesleyan Chapel	1	19	4
Broughton Church	3	1	0
Carleton Church	1	14	6
Carleton Wesleyan Chapel	0	7	3
Cononley Church	2	9	0
Cracoe Wesleyan Chapel	0	3	0
Draughton Church	0	14	6
Draughton Wesleyan Chapel	0	11	0
Eastby Wesleyan Chapel	0	3	0
Embsay Church	2	4	6
Embsay Wesleyan Chapel	1	2	3
Gargrave Parish Church	8	6	2
Gargrave Wesleyan Chapel	1	18	0

CONGREGATIONAL COLLECTIONS—Continued.

	£	s.	d.
Grassington Congregational Church	3	0	0
Halton East Wesleyan Chapel	0	15	2
Halton Gill Church	0	10	0
Hebden Church	1	1	0
Hetton Wesleyan Chapel	0	13	0
Hubberholme Church, per E. and W. Ridings of Yorkshire Voluntary Hospitals Committee	4	4	6
Malham Wesleyan Chapel	0	12	0
Oughtershaw Schoolroom Service	0	10	0
Rylstone Church	3	5	8
Salvation Army	0	10	6
Skipton Baptist Church	5	6	9
,, Christ Church	7	7	0
,, Congregational Church	2	10	6
,, Parish Church	14	1	4
,, Parish Church Sunday School	1	6	8
,, St. Stephen's (Roman Catholic)	4	4	0
,, Trinity Wesleyan Chapel...	1	5	0
,, Water Street Wesleyan Chapel	6	1	6
Thorleby Wesleyan Chapel	0	15	0
	£91	0	9

Workpeople's Collections.

	£	s.	d.
Anderson's (Skipton) Ltd., Union Mills	10	5	9
Bradley Village Effort	12	0	0
Breare, C. P., High Street	0	3	6
Clegg & Bracewell, Ltd. Union Mills	5	5	0
Co-operative Society, Ltd....	16	8	9
"Craven Herald," High Street	4	10	4
Curl, Kirk & Co., Ltd.	4	10	0
Duckett, T. & Son	0	9	1
English Sewing Cotton Co.	35	15	1
Fell, R. & Sons, Ltd., Craven Lead Works	4	0	0
Green, H. & Co., Cononley	3	17	6
Green, P. & Co., Ltd., Bradley Mills	5	14	3
Gargrave Mills (1920) Ltd.	9	0	0
Holden, A., Ltd., Union Mills	1	5	0
Hartley, Smith, Ltd., Union Mills	1	14	0
Hurst, G. & Co., Belmont Bridge	0	18	0
Hattersley & Co., Skipton	2	15	0
L.M. & S. Railway Co.—Loco., Goods, Platform, Engineers ...	14	0	0
Nelson, Sir A (Estate Workmen), per E. and W. Ridings of Yorkshire Voluntary Hospitals Committee	12	17	2
Pickles, F. & Co., Ltd., ...	11	9	8
Rutherford Bros., Ltd., Alexander Shed	7	14	3
Rycroft & Hartley, Broughton Shed	47	15	1
Simpson, W. A. & J. T., Ltd., Swadford Street	4	0	0
Skipton Rock Co. Ltd.	4	13	2
Slingsby, W. & J., Ltd., Carleton	49	12	6
Spencer, P. W., Ltd., Swinden	3	2	0
Stell, T. & Co., Ltd. Cononley	2	13	6

WORKPEOPLES' COLLECTIONS—Continued.

				£	s.	d.
Turner, H., Swadford Street				13	6	2
Wilkinson, J., Park Shed				31	0	2
				320	14	11
1926 Items received in 1927				7	5	0
Bank Interest				1	1	5
Bank Balance, 1st January, 1927				17	9	2
Cash on hand, 1st January, 1927				0	13	5½
				347	3	11½
LESS :						
Printing	1	13	0			
Hire of Room and Postage	0	7	0			
1927 Items not received until after 31st Dec., 1927	9	3	2			
Bank Balance, 31st Dec., 1927	0	16	9			
Cash on hand, 31st Dec., 1927	28	6	10½			
				40	6	9½
Amount handed to Hospital Treasurer ...				£306	17	2

Gifts provided by the Linen League during the Year 1927.

Large Sheets	59
Pillow Cases	87
Towels	51
Tea Towels	135
Vests	7
Stockings (Pairs)	12
Theatre Towels	6
Diet Cloths	10
Dusters	2
Draw Sheets	24
Bed Jackets	2
Nightgowns	14
Knitted Suit	1
Blankets	12
Cot Sheets	24
Flannel (37 Yards)	1
Total	447

Form of Bequest

OF MONEY OR STOCK TO

The Skipton and District Hospital.

I Bequeath to The Skipton and District Hospital

the sum of .....

pounds (free of duty) to be applied to the general purposes of the said Hospital AND I declare that the receipt of the Treasurer or other proper officer for the time being of the said Hospital shall be a sufficient discharge for the same.*

*Or for the perpetual naming of a Bed to my memory in the said Skipton & District Hospital or for the perpetual naming of a Cot to the memory of .....

NOTE.—By virtue of The Mortmain and Charitable Uses Act, 1891 (54 and 55 Vict. c. 73), **every kind of property** may be left by Will to the Hospital.

£1,000 WILL NAME A BED.

£500 WILL NAME A COT.

Skipton and District Hospital.

DONATION OR SUBSCRIPTION.

I am willing to give £.....

as *a Donation* / *an Annual Subscription* *in aid of the Funds of the Skipton and District Hospital and enclose Cheque for that amount.*

Name.....

Address.....

Date.....192

The Treasurer will be grateful to any Friend of the Hospital who will send to him Names and Addresses of Persons, not already on the list, who are likely to become Annual Subscribers or Donors.

Name.	Address.